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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY, June 23.

The desultory and very irregular course pursued by the stock market to-day was a seeming mixture of indecision, apathy and weariness on the part of speculators. Yesterday the market was heavy and weak throughout. To-day although not weak it was plainly not characterized by any high degree of resiliency and it was on the whole a dragging affair. The unmistakable advent of summer is causing a greater degree of absenteeism on the floor of the Stock Exchange, where a general force acting in the same direction is that connected with the usual reign of dullness at this season, and an additional influence making for apathy is the near approach of the Democratic national convention, when the issues and candidates framed by the two great political parties will finally be outlined and set forth against each other. The market opened to-day if anything slightly under the range of prices last made on Monday and rose and fell alternately thereafter in a rather despondent fashion, closing finally not far from where it began, and a view of the situation not infrequently expressed was that whatever buying of stocks was witnessed was proceeding in great measure from speculators for the fall who regarded their ventures yesterday, and that these operators seemed to get the stocks they wanted without bidding for them any too urgently. The particular pressure that was in evidence yesterday upon all the Rock Island stocks was removed to-day, although the St. Louis and San Francisco first and second preferred shares declined. Shortly after the first trading hour the death was announced in Paris of William D. Leoda, well known as one of the original members of the famous "Rock Island party," who with the money made by them out of the transfer of tin plate and sheet steel manufacturing properties to the United States Steel Corporation purchased control of the old Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company and formed the present Rock Island organization. The death of Mr. Leoda's approaching demise. Yet in financial circles it was said to be very unlikely that this was the case, as it was believed that Mr. Leoda had long since disposed of his interests in the Rock Island issues and that his estate had also been for a considerable time in the hands of trustees. The general Rock Island status at the moment continues therefore to be something that is not a little unsettled in the mind of the average individual in the financial district. At one time to-day the market was admittedly affected to some extent by the news of the serious illness of the Republican candidate for the Vice-Presidency and by the various complications and contingencies that the event suggested. The action of the Interstate Commerce Commission in ordering a large cut in rates for the transportation of lumber on the railroad lines in the Northwest also came in for more or less pessimistic discussion, while the general market was directly affected for the worse by a resumption of the liquidation in Chesapeake and Ohio stock which went on yesterday and by weakness, probably of a sympathetic order, in the New York, Ontario and Western shares. All that gossip had to offer in explanation of the drop in Chesapeake and Ohio was a rumor that a Western railway company had declined to exercise an option in its possession for the purchase from a local banking concern of a block of Chesapeake and Ohio shares giving practical control of the company. The cotton market was the scene of commotion arising from a sensational fall in the price of the July option, originating, as was commonly supposed, in the sudden illness of a local speculator who had borne a prominent part in current cornering operations for the delivery of the staple in the month named, while the price of grain also moved downward in response to clearing weather conditions in the West. Call money for Stock Exchange use fell to the lowest price touched by it in the last three months, while time money, on the other hand, was a little firmer, reflecting the preparations for the midsummer disbursement and the anticipated money by the trust companies to build up their reserves to the figure largely required on July 1. Although sterling exchange held at a point that made gold exports to Europe a matter of no difficulty, no engagements of gold for foreign shipment were reported. The plan of reorganizing the Westinghouse Manufacturing Company was declared substantially operative yesterday that it would be.

RAILROAD AND OTHER BONDS.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE SALES JUNE 23.

CLOSING PRICES OF UNITED STATES BONDS.

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